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SUBJECT: NC MACHINE TOOLS--IL 1091

REF: (A) COCOM DOC (76) 1000, (B) COCOM DOC DEF (76)

1091/4, (C) COCOM DOC REV (71)1091/2

1. NETHERLANDS DEL CALLED ON US DEL 9/7 TO RELATE HIS AUTHORITIES' DISPLEASURE WITH CURRENT CONFUSION SURROUNDING DEFINITION OF MACHINE TOOLS. NATIONAL LICENSING OFFICERS, HE SAID, WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO EFFECTIVELY APPLY IL 1091 UNTIL A SIMPLIFIED DEFINITION COULD BE PROVIDED TO THEM. IN HIS AUTHORITIES' VIEW "MACHINE TOOLS" REFERRED IN ITS ORDINARY SENSE TO ANY METAL-WORKING MACHINES AND WOULD PROBABLY BE SO INTERPRETED BY NATIONAL LICENSING OFFICERS. AS USED IN REF-DOC B AND PARA 6 OF REFDOC C, HOWEVER, TERM GIVEN MORE NARROW MEANING OF METAL REMOVING EQUIPMENT.

2. FOR SIMPLIFICATION SAKE NETHERLANDS AUTHORITIES HAVE ADOPTED THE BROADER DEFINITION AND THEREFORE THEY CANNOT AGREE, AS RECOMMENDED IN THE CONCLUSION TO COCOM DOC. DEF (76) 1091/4 THAT KONGSBERG CNC 600 FC CONTROL SYSTEM SHOULD BE EXEMPTED FROM EMBARGO. NETHERLANDS DEL ALSO INDICATED THAT IN HIS AUTHORITIES' VIEW IT WOULD SERVE NO PURPOSE TO AGREE ON STATUS OF

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CNC500 FC CONTROL SYSTEM WHICHIS NO LONGER PRODUCED.

HIS AUTHORITIES WOULD NOT BE EXPORTING SYSTEMS ESPECIALLY DEVELOPED AND USED SOLELY FOR NON-METAL REMOVING APPLICATIONS.

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